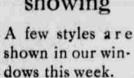
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B. W. Hooker & Co.

Vermont's Largest House Furnishers

Massachusetts Motor Law Needs.

AN EXPERT ON COLDS

Comparatively few people realize that a cold is a signal of physical weakness.

To treat a cold with weakening physics, alcoholic syrups or drugged pills, may smother the cold but they also reduce the body powers still further and invite more serious sickness.

Scott's Emulsion has always been an expert on colds, because it peculiarly enriches the blood, quickly tones up the forces and strengthens both throat and chest. Try Scott's. Refuse Substitutes. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 16-27

a solution of the problem. The commis-That some change is necessary in the sioner however must be a man of cour-That some change is necessary in the system of motor vehicle supervision is generally admitted. The annual killing at unwards of 300 persons and the in have been treated very leniently and churches vesterday, returned this mornof upwards of 300 persons and the injuring of more than 8000 more, with a record of 21 persons killed in a single week is a sufficient answer to any claim week is a sufficient answer to any claim number of motor vehicles there is greating and Mrs. L. W. Hanson of Montpelier, and Mrs. M. W. Hanson of Mrs. M. that existing conditions are well enough.

Gov. McCall in his inaugural presented careful and skillful in handling cars and careful and skillful in handling cars and Barre, where she formerly resided. to the legislature the problem of motor that they be held to strict accountability. vehicle regulation together with sug-gestions as to what might be done. One The law relating to operating motor of these suggestions which advises the cars while under the influence of intoxcreation of a new and separate commission to handle the matter would seem extreme limit. An operator should not drink intoxicants at all. The law of the road should be a part of the test for granting a license to an operator with a thorough understanding of the a more searching inquiry into the office of the Travelers' Insurance Co. habits and standing of applicants. Mois killed as a result of their ignorance, Williamstown schools. carelessness or criminal negligence. The Miss Mamie Nelson of Wellington

Big sale of skirts at Abbott's.

Greenfield Gazette.

LOOSENS UP HEAVY COLDS AND COUGHS

Drown's Warranted Cough Remedy

is a valuable remedy for coughs, colds, sore throat, croup and all affections of the throat and lungs. Does not disturb the stomach.

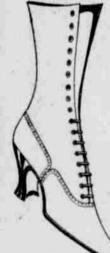
Price 25 cents

-and every bottle is warranted to give satisfac-

Drown's Drug Store

48 NORTH MAIN STREET

A Money-Saving Shoe Sale Women



There is going to be a complete collapse of prices on Shoes this week. Mr. Fitts' large stock of Shoes is gradually decreasing in numbers. Over 2,327 pairs still remain unsold, and to remove the above number of Shoes a quick clean-up price has been administered.

Shoes for All Ages

Women between 50 years to 100, there are over 216 pairs of French and Vici Kid Button and Lace, High and Low Heels, in plain and box toes, flexible soles, etc. Mr. Fitts' retail price was \$4.50 to \$6.00 per pair. Our low, clean-up price \$3.45

Women between 25 years to 50, READ: Over 1,200 pairs LaFrance Shoes, etc., in Gun Metal, Kid, Pat., Black, Gray and Brown Suede, high and low heels. Mr. Fitts' retail price was \$4.00 to \$5.50 per pair. Our low, \$3.45

Children's Shoes displayed on our Bargain Tables at cut prices. Women's Shoes in all all styles, \$3.50 to \$4.50 grades, Bargain Table Price, per pair-

\$1.69 to \$1.98

Men's, Women's and Children's Rubbers, Overshoes, Leggins, etc., at less than cost prices.

This is going to be the banner week for low prices. Come

early and get your share. Ladies, here's an unusual opportunity. The Shoes are the latest styles-the leathers, shoemaking, etc., are perfection. These Shoes at these prices will sell quickly.

Shea's Shoe Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Annual remnant sale at Abbott's. Don't miss the banner week for low prices at Shea's Shoe Store.
Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grout of Waterbury were among the business visitors in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Patrick J. McNulty left yesterday

for St. Albans, where she is passing a few days with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McDermott of

Brookfield were among the business visitors in the city Saturday. E. J. Badger resumed his duties in the Walk-Over boot shop to-day after spend-ing a few days with his family in Wal-

Miss Belle Nelson of Keith avenue returned last evening from Northfield, where she has been spending a few days

with friends. Everett Solomon of Burlington returned to his home this morning after visiting friends on Prospect street during

the past few days.

William W. Covell of Lyme, N. H.,
returned to his home this morning after
spending several days in Barre and vicin-

ity on a business visit.

Louis M. Leonard of Burlington rarived in the city Saturday evening to spend several days as the guest of friends on North Main street.

A. H. Fasola of Berlin street left Saturday night on a business trip through the middle western states in the interests of the Excelsior Granite Co. of Montpe-

Jeremiah Ordaway and Albert Martin, two of Williamstown's oldest men, were among the business visitors in the city Saturday. Messrs, Ordaway and Martin are nearing 90

Rev. Charles H. Smith, secretary of the

passed the week end with friends in

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cerverone and daughter, who have lived in Barre for several months, left Saturday evening for Denver, Col., where Mr. Cerverone has secured work as a stonecutter.

Charles Birnie, who has been passing a vacation of two weeks at his home in Barre, left last night for Hartford, Conn., status on the subject and there should where he is to resume his duties in the

Miss Grace E. Hamblett, formerly a torists should report violations to the student at Goddard seminary, passed ommission instead of being good fellows through the city Saturday while en route and letting the offenders get by with to Williamstown, where she will asthe result that perhaps later someone sume the duties as teacher in one of the

highway commission has enough to do street will leave at some time during in building roads. Motor supervision the latter part of the week for Philadelshould be done by someone other than a phia, Pa., where she has secured a po-member of the highway commission.— sition to enter the training school for nurses at the state hospital of that place.

Joseph L. Minard of Quincy, Mass., arrived in the city yesterday and will commence work in a north end within a few days. Mr. Minard has ••••••••••••••••••• been employed in Quincy during the past three years. He will be joined by his wife and children during the latter part of the week.

> will occupy the pulpit at the Montpelier boards. E. A. Prindle. Depot square. Congregational church at the morning John H. Faught of South Acworth, and evening services.

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings during the past few days, left tofor Inverness, P. Q., where he will meet his wife, who is visiting relatives of the Barre & Montpelier Traction & ed in numbers with lodgings at the stathere for a few days. From Inverness they will return to their home in Leville, Saskatchewan, northwestern Canada, where they have lived during the past 16

With the two-men championship Barre and Montpelier at stake, bowlers representing the Imperial alleys at the capital and the Merlo academy in this city will roll a candle-pin match on the local lanes this evening at 8 o'clock. Bob Hawkins and C. D. Bancroft will appear for the Imperial alleys and the grounds will be defended by Blair Marriana and C. Colombo. On Wednesday evening five-men teams representing Barre and Montpelier alleys will compete ·····

> with the service on both lines running which first ascended Millstone hill over the Barre & Chelsea railroad to-day did so over greasy rails that greatly retarded progress. About four inches of snow fell scheduled with the Vincitia club for to-day as a comedian of ability scheduled with the Vincitia club for to-day and his unfailing good nature made him n the early morning.

> Blossom Ossola was the host at a party given at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ossola of North Main street on Buzzell's rinks to-morrow evening.
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> Clark was around 25 years old and begiven at the home of his parents, Mr. and the Goddard and Canadian hockey teams on Buzzell's rinks to-morrow evening. Saturday evening when 15 young men of his own age came together to aid him in observing his 18th birthday anniversary. An Italian dinner was served at 8:30 clock with B. Piccinelli catering. Most of the condiments known to Italian cookery found a place in the menu and appropriate favors were placed at each cover. Afterward there was a brief post-prandial program with responses in the way of a short speech, a story or a song from every guest, Durward Imlah, speaking in behalf of those who had gathered at the Ossola home, presented the host a pair of gold cuff links, the recipient responding in feeling tones.

Granite workers in the Barre belt are sterested in a little system of philan thropy practiced by the Crawford Granité Co, in Buffalo, N. Y., a story of which, appearing in abbreviated form in last nonth's Granite Cutters' Journal, is amplified in small circulars received by unon heads in this city. For the expres purpose of providing a place of rest and recreation for his cutters, polishers, lumpers, etc., Mr. Crawford erected last fall an annex at the end of his cutting dant. A heating system was installed and accommodations were made for the men who bring their dinners with them work. A reading room with most o he current periodicals on the table is anther feature of the workingmen's annex and from time to time the proprietor of be plant is spending additional money an effort to make it attractive to his sploves. At Christmas, Mr. Crawford resented each employe \$5 and guarand to pay them 6 per cent on any and all money they may save in 1917. The interest to be paid next Christmas, will be in the nature of a bonus to the 4 per Mich the men will receive from the

A. P. ABBOTT & CO.

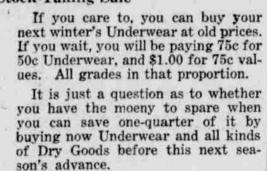
Our Stock Taking Sale

Will Be Over this Week

Lots of odd lots at less than first cost. Lots of remnants at half-price and less. In this sale you are buying almost all kinds of staple goods at one-quarter less than than they will be six weeks later. Black Cat 35c Hose are now only 25c. All other Hose at this same saving. Plan what you can now for spring use—it will help you some on all your dry goods purchases.



Stock-Taking Sale



You should buy odd lots and Remnants now, for these are less than cost and can be used right away for spring wear.

Lots of odd pieces of Wash Goods. Some of these are long enough so that we can cut. Others would be just the length that you would

Two tables of Remnants, one of Silk and Wool Remnants, the other of Wash Goods and odd pieces from all departments of the store. Remnants of Ribbons, Laces and Hamburgs, also odd lot of Hamburgs at half price. These are Imported Hamburgs, with best edges.

There are lots of kinds in our Bargain Basement that are very cheap. We will make this Basement this coming season a big feature of our store—a good place to save on lots of kinds.

ess than cost to close out In our Basement are Campbell Kids, the best domestic doll on the market. See our Stock-Taking Sale this week-next week will be too late.

In our Basement are a lot of Flexible Flyer Sleds that we are selling at

Ladies' Separate Skirts

If you want a good Skirt value, you should look over our special sale values that we are now offering. We have on one rack a lot of odd Skirts in medium sizes-Skirts that are made from the best All-Wool materials, only one or two of a style, in prices from \$5.00 to \$12.00.

These are on one rack to clean up at one-fourth off from the regular price. If you want a good business Skirt. these are extra values.

Millinery Clean-Up Sale

We have some good Millinery values that we are putting special low prices on to clean up the stock before invoicing. These are priced to clean them up within the next

At 98c each are some Hats that are the season's best values at three times the price asked.

At \$1.98 is another line of Hats up to \$5.00 each.

Ladies' Tailored Suits

Have you seen our Suit values? If you can wear a small or medium size, you can surely get an extra good value for a little money.

At \$6.98 are a couple of Suits an All-Wool Mixture; Are Wooltex Suits that sold at \$25.00.

At \$7.98 are a few Blue and Black Cheviot Suits that are made in a good, plain-tailored style and were a good value at the regular price, which was \$18.00. Now only \$7.98. At \$9.98 is something in Whip-cords and Gabardines that sold at

We have a few Blue and Black Suits in the late models--Suits that we cannot duplicate. Are styles that will be good for spring. These we are closing at the following prices:

At \$7.98, Suits that sold at \$30.00 each.

At \$18.00 are Suits in the best values that sold at \$25.00. At \$18.00 are Suits in the best values that sold at \$27.50. At \$20.00 are Suits that sold at \$30.00.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Stock-taking sale at Abbott's. Rev. Stanley F. Blomfield, pastor of Bethany church in Montpelier, will be the Northfield Saturday evening after mak week, returned to his home Saturday preacher at the First Presbyterian church ing a visit of several days in the city. next Sunday morning and evening in ex-change with Rev. Edgar Crossland, who all kinds of ranges, fire clay and stove-Andes ranges and heaters; repairs for

John H. Faught of South Acworth, N. week, left last evening for his home. H., who has been spending several days Neither highway nor byway contribut-Elias J. Lowry, who has been visiting in the city on business, has returned to ed to the usual quota of arrests through

ment of car No. 54 on the interurban line Wayfarers who are usually accommodat-Power Co. Saturday night and disrupted tion seem to be giving city hall a wide traffic on the road until Sunday morning. berth this month. No one was injured when the car left the rails just north of Intercity park, but the road was blocked immediately and not until 5 o'clock Sunday morning did the First Presbyterian church for a snowshoe emergency crew from the car barn succeed in restoring the car to the rails. Conductor Brigham and Motorman Bullock were in charge of the car, which was the heights of Cobble hill to the home of journal suddenly broke. The accident occurred shortly after 7 o'clock. Help was secured from the car barn immediately and during the night the crew worked busily to the end that normal traffic conditons might be restored by morning. The damage to No. 54 was quickly repaired when it reached the car barn and

A storm interfered rather seriously the car was used as usual to-day. into Barre to-day. A train from the which has been on a three days' trip died somewhere in France Dec. 18. For outh due to arrive over the Central Ver- through New Hampshire, playing at road at 4 o'clock pulled into the Newport with the professional team of being employed here as a granite cutter. tation at 6:30 a. m., but with the tracks that place on Thursday and at Windsor In 1915 he joined a regiment of Canadian cleared, attaches at the station thought on the following night, wound up the that the delays for one day were at an end. Over the Montpelier & Wells River London, N. H. by meeting with defeat Barre he was a well known member of road, the Green Mountain express was a at the hands of the Colby team by a the Bonaccords, belonged to Iroquois half hour overdue and the train crew score of 56 to 19, thus losing all three tribe of Red Men and the Meadow Brook morrow is cancelled until a latter date a prime favorite within every circle on account of the hockey game between Clark was around 25 years old and be

store the blame is up to you.

ket to-day.

TALK OF THE TOWN

A. L. Cook of Marshfield, who was in the city during the latter part of last

Harold M. Bellows of Plattsburg, N Y., who has been visiting friends on North Seminary street during the past the week end and at police headquarters circles and

Arrangements have been completed by the Young People's Bible class of the hike Wednesday evening. The Bible students will meet at City square before 7 o'clock and the trail chosen will lead up be enjoyed before the return to Barre.

yesterday by John Gray of North Sem- sion is apt to be a penalty if all clubs ing individually without regard for other inary street, which records the passing of Private Alick S. Clark. The young soldier's father. Alexander Clark, who, with Mrs. Clark, lives on Richmond street in Goddard seminary's basketball team, Aberdeen, Scotland, writes that the youth two years Clark was a resident of Barre,

It is difficult to place the blame where it belongs in the matter of the high cost of living, but if you do not

take advantage of the low prices that prevail at this

Fresh lot of Berwick Cakes, each 10c

Ward's Butter Bread, per loaf 10c

June Butter, per lb. 39c

Fresh-Roasted Coffee, per lb. 19c

3 boxes Grandmother's Mince Meat for 25c

PLENTY OF FINNAN HADDIES

The Smith & Cumings Co.

"GOOD THINGS TO EAT"

Our prices of Flour are low, considering the mar-

TALK OF THE TOWN

Remnant sale at Abbott's.

Per order president.

wrought a proscription on all clubs, circles and secret organizations at A broken journal caused the derail- this morning the blotter was clean. Spaulding high school and students who several clubs that are said to have floursocial clubs since school reopened last September have resolved to follow the rules laid down by the faculty and are discouraged in higher institutions of against school and class clubs because Another of the Bonaccord football they interfere with school work and tend players of Barre has given his life for to divide the students into cliques. One the allies, according to a letter received teacher is quoted as saying that expul- been too many commissions, each workare not disbanded.

Granite Cutters' International Association of America.

A regular meeting of the Barre branch of the G. C. I. A. of A. will be held in the pera house

Una ruinione regolare dell' unione degli scalpellini (branch di Barre) avra' louge Monday evening, Jan. 22, at 7

J. D. Will, Secretary.

Individual Responsibility.

The keynote of Governor Graham's ininaugural is centralization of power un-Clean-up sale of millinery at Abbott's. der a board of control. In effect this Notice to Burns club: The Burns club policy will work out by putting the rerill hold its celebration in Clan Gordon sponsibility for the state government up hall Friday, Jan. 26, at 7:30 p. m. It is to individuals rather than cumbersome requested that all members be present, commissions. No such advanced theory has every before been advocated by a The heavy hand of the faculty has governor of Vermont. It is in line with

The executive heads of all organizations are held responsible for their persist in maintaining the activities of management. The general of an army ished during the fall and early winter those under his charge. Time and time have been cautioned against continuing again governors and presidents are to meet. Students who have belonged to praised or condemned for their administrations. Vermont as a state is nothing more or less than a big corporation doing some two million dollars of busideriving only a little solace from the ness a year. If the executive head-the fact that so called social clubs are being governor-is to be held responsible for the state's business then he should have learning, such as Princeton and Rutgers, power of control over the different deheaded toward Montpelier when the A. S. Parkhurst, where a social hour will It is said that the faculty has declared partments. No other policy can be fair

> interests. The interest of the state must be taken as a whole and this policy can only be accomplished with an executive hend with full power to act, Governor Graham has shown himself to be a master of the needs of Vermont for a more efficient administration of public affairs.—Burlington Clipper.

In Vermont there has been altogether

too much divided authority. There have

See the special suit values at Abbott's,

Women, do you realze that you can ave from \$1 to \$2 on every pair of shoes. this week at Shea's Shoe Store!

Monday Special

Full pound cans of Pink Salmon, to-day This is less than the wholesale price to-day.

Pickle Department

Heinz Chow Chow, per lb 13c, 2 lbs. for 25c
Heinz Piccalilli, per lb 20c
Heinz Sauer Kraut, per lb 10c, 3 lbs. for 25c
Heinz Sour Onions, per lb 20c
Heinz Sweet Onions, per lb 25c
Heinz Spiced Sweet Pickle, per lb 18c
Heinz Spiced Sour Pickles, per lb15c
Heinz Sweet Mixed Pickles, per lb 18c
Heinz Dill Pickles, per 1b 10c
Heinz Plain Sweet Pickles, per lb 18c
Horse Radish, per pint 20c
Stuffed Olives, very fancy stock, per pint 25c Plain Olives, very fancy stock, per pint 20c
Ketchup, per bottle

Ketchup and Pickles of this quality are scarce and high. We would have to get more if we were buying them to-day.

The F. D. Ladd Company